

Fox - Hunters Have Special Event Jan. 1-2

Ask Hunters to Enter Large Chase
There will be a special hunt of the Fox Hunters' Association at Appomattox on Friday and Saturday, January 1 and 2. It was announced here last night.

Late in September the Association had its annual field trials here and that event was attended by several hundred sportsmen and nearly 100 dogs. For the special hunt next week, all fox-hunters are urged to bring their dogs and enter them free of all charge. The hunt will probably begin at 6 A.M., and it is hoped that a record number of dogs and hunters will be present.

Fox hunting took on the aspects of a major sport here this year when the association held its field trials, and a number of new entries were won. Many of these are expected to come back to spend New Year's day in the field. "Old Red Tom," one of Appomattox's famous foxes, will once again be the object of search but in case he eludes the dogs, there is a plentiful supply of less valuable foxes to command the abilities of the dogs.

VERA

VERA—Mrs. Jud Kinney is very sick at her home here. We hope she will soon be out again.

Miss Elizabeth Robertson spent Sunday with Miss Hazel Coleman.

Mrs. Sis Patterson, Mrs. Baker, Mr. Butler and Mrs. Edw. Patterson, of Richmond, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Beale.

Mrs. Lewis Coleman is rapidly improving.

Several of our neighbors went to Lynchburg Saturday to do their Christmas shopping.

Miss Daisy Bell, who is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Spradling, of Lynchburg, visited friends in the neighborhood.

Little Turner Wilkerson, who has been spending several weeks with his aunt, Mrs. S. T. Megginson, has returned to his home in Lynchburg.

Lyle Garrett returned home Saturday for the Christmas holidays.

BUCKINGHAM

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Miss Dorothy Bagwell spent the week-end in Arvonis.

Jack Moss has returned to this place.

Mrs. Margaret Trig has returned from a visit to some of her children.

Mrs. P. E. Tucker entertained at dinner Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boatwright and Nancy visited Miss Louise Boatwright at University Hospital, Charlottesville, Sunday.

Officers Are Named By Masonic Group

Masonic Meetings at Howardsville Names Officers for Year

At a meeting of George Lodge No. 32, A. F. and A. M., held in their hall in Howardsville, December 19, the following were elected officers for the year 1932:

Worshipful Master, C. H. Moon; Senior Warden, T. W. Patterson; Treasurer, H. E. Ferwick; Secretary, T. O. Branch; Junior Deacon, F. H. Moon, Jr.; T. P. Haffner was appointed elder and T. B. Wells Chaplain. H. B. Simpson is the retiring Master.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Farmers National Bank will be held Tuesday, January 12, at 2 P. M.

A. R. Harwood, Cashier

Santa Claus Lists Wauts Of 139

Santa Claus came to Appomattox last Saturday. The cheery North Pole visitor was greeted by scores of children and his note book revealed the names of 139 boys and girls who had listed their wants. He visited stores of the town all during the afternoon.

Helps Employees

More than one hundred fifty-six thousand dollars—\$156,517.50—has been paid in bonuses to employees of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company and members of their families during the third quarter of 1931 by the employees of the Relief Fund, according to the quarterly report of J. C. Snavey, superintendent of the railroad's Relief and Pension Department.

Receipts of the Fund during the third quarter totaled \$208,840.36. The statement showed there was a gain of \$52,322.86, as compared with \$21,032.57 for the previous quarter. The total credit balance of the fund was \$2,482,157.93, as compared with \$2,305,407.81 at the end of the same period last year.

Thrilling action, colorful spectacle A strong story, and starting performances by an unusually capable cast combined to make R.K.O. Pathe's "Suicide Fleet," truly the Nation's Big Parade, starts Christmas Day, December 25, for two days only.

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There will be preaching at Pleasant Grove Baptist church Sunday, December 27. The services will be conducted by the Rev. W. J. Sadler.

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We Wish You A Merry Christmas

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verse of our man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and a sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

"Not believe in Santa Claus! I might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus."

December Court Term Concluded

Over 50 Witnesses are Heard In Long Suit For Damages

(Special to Times-Virginian) Appomattox, Dec. 23.—A verdict of \$200 was returned here by a jury in the suit of Martin vs. Reese in a civil case marked by the appearance of over 50 witnesses. The plaintiff contended that he had been falsely accused of possessing two mules of the defendant and sued for \$5,000. The case began Friday.

Rufus Woodson, charged with felonious shooting, pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor and was given a light jail sentence. A Proprietor, charged with reckless driving while drunk, transporting whiskey and offering it for sale, pleaded guilty to two charges and was given 9 months and 6 months and \$100 fine. On one of these charges he had been previously convicted under the prohibition ordinance of the town of Dillwyn but upon motion by his counsel the court quashed the proceedings and held that Dillwyn had no valid prohibition law. It appeared from evidence that Dillwyn had undertaken to adopt the state prohibition act so as to get the fines collected.

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Officers Capture Still; Arrest Three

Officers Make Capture And Arrest Several At Still

A posse of five county and state officers captured a 35-year-old man and made three arrests near Chap early Saturday morning, at about 2:30. Sheriff H. W. McKinney, deputies D. A. Conner and F. T. Cawthorn and state prohibition agents W. A. Farmer and H. C. Bailey came upon the still and found 12 gallons of whiskey already run.

Those arrested were: Walter Panlett, Dave Goin and Parker Orange. The former is now out on bail but the other two are held in the county jail here. They will be charged with manufacture of ardent spirits. Sheriff McKinney stated yesterday that Edson Warner was also seen at the still but made his escape and that three warrants are now out for his arrest.

Delinquent Lands For 1930 Given

Expressing the opinion that Appomattox county had one of the smallest delinquent tax lists in the state, county treasurer, R. L. Burke, today announced the list of lands that will close January 4 for 1930 taxes, unless said taxes are paid before that date. For the state as a whole, tax delinquencies for 1930 increased 2.2 per cent over 1929, the percentage being down from 27.4 to 25.6, according to Dr. William H. Stauffer, state tax economist.

Steal Gasoline At Prospect Monday

Efforts Fail to Locate Pair But Witnesses Get Tag Number

Prospect, Dec. 23.—A man and a woman were stopped at a station here Monday morning and ordered 15 gallons of gasoline. When the tank was filled they hurriedly drove off without paying for same. Witnesses gave the number of the car as 114-069 and said the woman protested against the theft. Inspector Ferguson was called and attempted in vain to head off the automobile in Farmville.

There was a Xmas entertainment and pageant at Elton Baptist church, Pamplin, last night. The pageant was netted, "Christmas Relief."

School Holidays

County schools will reopen on Monday, January 4, after the annual Christmas vacation.

Still Need Gifts

Several bundles of old clothing have been left here this week in response to an appeal from the Appomattox Red Cross for help for needy families for Christmas. However, the gifts to date are not near enough for the demand and those having clothes, toys, or other suitable items, are urged to leave them at this office today or tomorrow, for distribution by a committee headed by Mrs. S. L. Ferguson.

For Sale Cheap—A R. C. A. Suphetron battery set radio of perfect shape. Ideal for country home. Cheap to quick buyer. Robert Hubbard, Appomattox, Va.

On Saturday, January 16, 1932, R. P. Stallard, of Halifax will be at Appomattox with 2 truck loads of pigs, shoats and hogs for sale cheap. Parties wanting same meet him on above date. H. C. Babcock.

Is Honored

Miss Gertrude Stewart, of this county has been honored because of her exceptional work as a secretarial student at the Pacific Extension University of Berkeley, California, and has had her name placed on the National Honor Roll of that institution.

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"Hit And Run" Driver Caught In Buckingham

Sheriff Finds Man Who Is Charged With Offense And Held For Bond

Wilbur Scruggs, 18, is being held at Buckingham in connection with the death of Richard D. A. Conner, a 17-year-old Davidson Saturday night, near Buckingham in a tragic "hit and run" automobile accident.

Davidson, his wife and child were walking on the highway about two miles west of Buckingham, where they were struck by the car. Davidson and his wife were killed and the child was injured. The car was found later by Sheriff Jack Snoddy and a posse several miles from the scene of the accident. A description of the "hit and run" driver and his car was supplied by a colored witness.

The dead man was dragged about 20 yards by the speeding car, his legs and neck broken and his skull fractured. The child was thrown off the road, as was the mother. However, they are said to be recovering.

Scruggs was lodged in the county jail early Saturday morning and charged with the offense, one of the most tragic in the county in several years.

Funeral services for the deceased were held Sunday afternoon. He was well known in the county. He is survived, in addition to his widow and child with him at the time of the accident, by two sons and a daughter.

OAKVILLE

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There was a Christmas program at Oakville school December 22, the day school closed for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Comer, the principal, and his wife of Oakville school left for their home at Vinton December 22.

Misses Ferguson, Smith and Royer returned to their respective homes to spend the holidays.

Contractor L. M. Hutchinson of road No. 307, received a message Saturday that one of his children was sick. He has returned to his home in Penn.

Most of the other headmen of this road expect to return to their respective homes for the holidays.

Blackwell Martin has been sick for the past week or so but it thought to be some better at this writing.

B. H. W. Martin is quite ill at his home near here.

Misses Alice Martin and Elizabeth Coleman, who are attending S. T. C. Farmville, are spending the holidays here at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore and son, Herman, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Drinkard spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. T. H. Martin.

Mr. Gunnett, one of the road men on route 307, was slightly injured by a truck last week and has returned to his home in Pennsylvania until after the holidays.

Mrs. T. E. Owen spent several days in Lynchburg last week.

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PERSONAL MENTION

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Newly Weds used to tell you who was being mentioned by Appomattox ladies have become so proficient in the art of angling that Santa hasn't waited for the depression to be over before making his gifts.

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Scouts Have Sale

Girl Scouts of Appomattox will hold a bazaar Saturday from 9 a. m. until 6 p. m. at Br. Chas. F. James' drug store. The bazaar will be for the benefit of the scouts and will offer for sale all sorts of handwork.

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Tells Of Batteries

"Making surveys of this and that seems quite a fashion nowadays," said H. M. Burge, local Excide Dealer, "but much information of practical value can be obtained."

"For instance," he continued, "a survey was made by the manufacturers of Excide batteries to find out approximately how many times a year the average motorist calls on his battery to start his car."

"The information obtained was highly interesting. It was found that the average was 2,200 times a year. That means that the average automobile battery discharges current at a high rate this number of times depending on course on the use to which the car is put by its owner."

"In cold weather," Mr. Burge continued, "the engine in hard to turn and the efficiency of any battery, regardless of its make, is lower. Accordingly a battery that has been working all right during the warm weather may not be in condition to stand an increased load with lowered efficiency."

"Battery inspection at this time is good insurance against unexpected battery failure this winter."

The world is now experiencing the shortest days of the year. From December 14 until the end of the month afternoons will get one minute longer every other day, and will be one-half hour longer by January 20.

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